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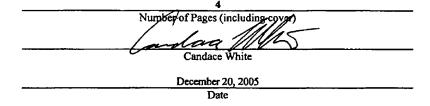
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Applicants:	FRANK BREITLING	Conf. No.:	8533
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Sir:

In reply to the Advisory Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 2, 2005, submitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. 1.114,

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requesting entry and consideration of the Response to the June 20, 2005 Office Action in the above-identified U.S. patent application. Additionally attached hereto is a Credit Card Authorization Form authorizing charging of the amount of \$1,300, including \$790.00 for payment of the applicable RCE filing fee.

Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time, extending the deadline for responding to the June 20, 2005 Office Action to December 20, 2005. The fee for such three-month extension of time, in the total amount of \$510.00 is included in the amount of \$1,300.

Authorization also is hereby given to charge any deficiency in applicable fees for this response to Deposit Account Number 08-3284 of Intellectual Property/Technology Law.

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